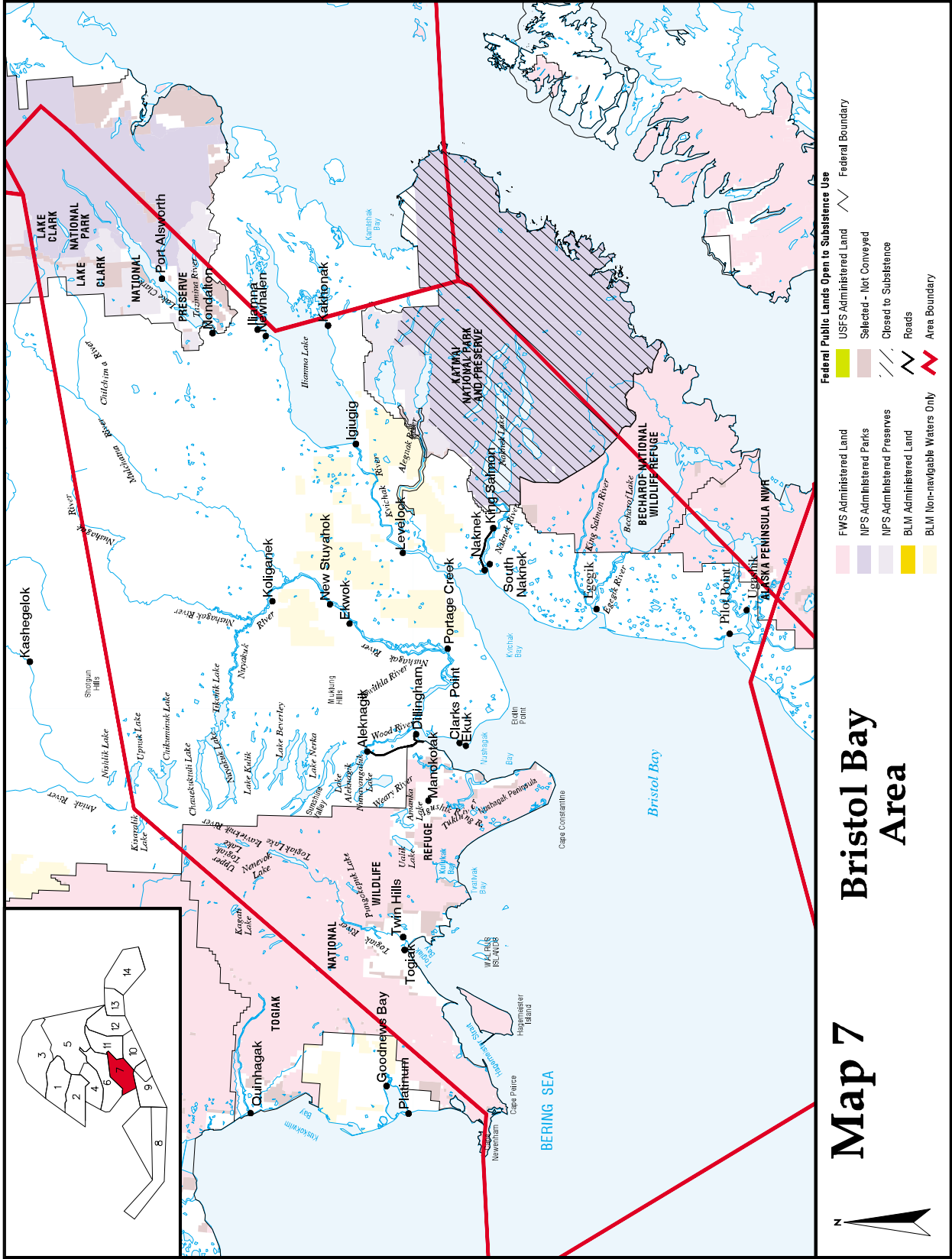


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The Bristol Bay Federal subsistence fisheries area includes all waters of Bristol Bay, including drainages enclosed by a line from Cape Newenham to Cape Menshikof.

Customary and Traditional Use Determinations:

Nushagak District, including freshwater drainages flowing into the district. Residents of the Nushagak District can subsistence fish for **salmon and other freshwater fish** for customary and traditional uses.

Naknek-Kvichak District:

- Naknek River drainage. Residents of the Naknek-Kvichak River drainages may subsistence fish for **salmon** and other **freshwater fish** for customary and traditional uses.
- Iliamna-Lake Clark drainage. Residents of the Iliamna-Lake Clark drainage may subsistence fish for **salmon** and other **freshwater fish** for customary and traditional uses.

Togiak District, including freshwater drainages flowing into the district. Residents of the Togiak District, freshwater drainages flowing into the district, and the community of Manokotak may subsistence fish for **salmon** and other **freshwater fish**, and may harvest **herring spawn on kelp** for customary and traditional uses.

Remainder of the Bristol Bay Area. Residents of the Bristol Bay Area may take **all fish** for customary and traditional uses.

Special Provisions:

NO SUBSISTENCE FISHING PERMIT REQUIRED. You can take **fish** at any time without a subsistence fishing permit, unless a permit is required or fishing is restricted in the following regulations. You may not take fish from waters within 300 feet of a stream mouth used by salmon.

You may take **salmon** and **char** only with a subsistence fishing permit.

Only one subsistence fishing permit may be issued to each household per year.

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Regulations:

Within any district, you may take **salmon**, **herring**, and **capelin** only by rod and reel, drift, or set gillnets. Outside district boundaries you may take **salmon** only by rod and reel or set gillnet (see gillnet restrictions), except in the following locations:

Togiak River (excluding its tributaries), you may also take salmon by spear. In the Togiak River and drainage, you may not possess **coho salmon** for subsistence purposes after August 20, unless the head has been immediately removed from the salmon.

Naknek Lake area, you may take **salmon** by spear, dip net, and gillnets not exceeding five fathoms in length, nor anchored or tied to a stake or peg, and you must be present at the net while fishing:

- *August 30-September 30* along a 100 yard length of the west shore near outlet to Naknek River as marked by ADF&G regulatory markers.
- *August 15-September 15* at Johnny's Lake (northwestern side of Naknek Lake).
- *October 1-November 15* at Brooks River at the mouth at Naknek Lake.

Gillnet Restrictions:

The maximum length of gillnets to take **salmon** is as follows:

- 25 fathoms, except for the Egegik River
- 10 fathoms in the Egegik River

The maximum length of gillnets to take **herring** or **capelin** (during closed herring commercial fishing periods), is 25 fathoms.

You may not set or operate any part of a set gillnet within 300 feet of any part of another set gillnet.

You must stake and buoy each set gillnet.

To identify gillnets, include your first initial, last name, and subsistence permit number. This may be inscribed clearly on a sign at (or near) the set gillnet, instead of having the information on attached kegs or buoys.

Tazimina River (and within one-fourth mile of the terminus of those waters), you may not subsistence fish with nets during September 1-June 14.

Fishing Periods:

During open commercial salmon fishing periods, you may not operate or assist in operating subsistence salmon net gear while simultaneously operating or assisting in operating commercial salmon net gear.

Fishing Periods (continued):

You may take **salmon** for subsistence uses as follows:

All districts:

- From May 1-31 and October 1-31, you may subsistence fish for salmon weekdays, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Monday until 9:00 a.m. Friday.
- From June 1-September 30, you may take salmon for subsistence uses only during open commercial salmon fishing periods within the commercial salmon districts.

Egegik River:

- From June 23-July 17, beginning at 9 a.m. on June 23 through closing at 9 a.m. on July 17, you may take salmon only during 24 hour periods on Tuesdays and Saturdays, beginning at 9 a.m. and closing at 9 a.m. the following mornings, Wednesdays and Sundays.